

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SPEECH RECOGNITION
ASSISTED VOICE COMMUNICATIONS

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 A communication system includes communications equipment having a voice
input device, an acoustic output device, and a visual display device. The communications
equipment receives voice information from a user using the voice input device, converts
the voice information into text, and communicates packets encoding the voice
information and the text to a remote location. The communications equipment also
10 receives packets encoding voice and text information from the remote location, outputs
the voice information using the acoustic output device, and outputs the text information
using the visual display device.